JOPLIN OVERPASS PROJECT

The City of Joplin is requesting the services of one (1) consulting engineering firm, pending STIP approval, to perform the described professional services for the two (2) projects included on the provided attachments.

If your firm would like to be considered for these consulting services, you may express your interest by responding to the City of Joplin City Hall 602 S. Main 4th Floor office. Qualifications need to be tailored to this project and include only relevant information. Generic qualifications will be graded down.

Time and budget is of the upmost importance on these projects. Your Statement of Qualifications (SOQ) should include a statement to indicate why your firm is interested in the project. It should also include any other information which might help us in the selection process, such as the persons or team you would assign to each project, the backgrounds of those individuals, and other projects your company has recently completed or are now active. Specific anticipated timelines are included on the provided attachment.

It is anticipated that the 20th street overpass will have enough funding to be constructed and the 15th street overpass will be let as an alternate and constructed if enough cost savings are recognized to fund the shortfall.

DBE firms must be listed in the MRCC DBE Directory located on MoDOT's website at www.modot.gov, in order to be counted as participation towards an established DBE Goal. We encourage DBE firms to submit letters of interest as prime consultants for any project they feel can be managed by their firm.

It is required that your firm's Statement of Qualification (RSMo 8.285 through 8.291) and an Affidavit of Compliance with the federal work authorization program along with a copy of your firm's E-Verify Memorandum of Understanding (15 CSR 60-15.020) be submitted with your firm's Letter of Interest.

Pursuant to the Brooks Act for Consultant Selection - the following criteria will be the basis for selection: a) practical design (18 points), b) experience and competence (18 points), c) the capacity of the firm to perform the work in the timeframe needed (23 points), d) past performance (18 points), and e) innovative cost saving design considerations (23 points).

Four copies of the letter of interest should be received at the address and by the time specified.

We request all letters be received by 3:00 p.m., September 19, 2012 at City Hall, 602 S. Main, Joplin, Missouri, 4th Floor, Attention: Jack Schaller P.E., Assistant Public Works Director. <u>JSchalle@Joplinmo.org</u> 417-624-0820

Attachment

Jasper County	
Job No:	TDG-3200(718)
Location:	20 th Street and KCS railroad
Proposed Improvement:	Construct overpass over KCS railroad
Length:	900-1500 feet
Approximate Construction Cost:	\$7,000,000
DBE Goal	12%
Letting Date:	June 2013 Bridge: The engineering responsibilities may include but are not limited
Consultant Services Required	to the preparation of Preliminary and Contract plans. As part of preparing the plans the consultant may need to perform surveying, geotechnical investigations, hydraulic studies and provide environmental and historic preservation services/permits including the preparation of PS&E and final documents. Roadway: The engineering responsibilities may include but are not
	limited to the preparation of Conceptual plans, Preliminary plans, Contract plans. Design services may include, right of way plans, surveying, geotechnical investigations, public involvement, environmental and historic preservation services/permits, contract documents, assisting with the bidding process, construction
	support/construction inspection, utility coordination/permits and traffic controls including the preparation of PS&E and final documents. Construction Phase: The engineering responsibilities may include but are not limited to work with contractor on behalf of the City, assist with preconstruction conference, perform periodic site inspection, prepare
	change orders, inspect construction materials, check shop drawings submitted by contractor, conduct construction test and inspection, be present during critical construction operations, work with City to do full time inspections and reporting and participate in final inspection.
Other Comments:	Geotechnical Report: Prepared report expected by November 1, 2012. 100% unsigned and unsealed bridge plans: Due to the Bridge Division Review Section by March, 2013. Final electronic signed and sealed roadway and bridge plans and JSP's: must be submitted by April 4, 2013 for a June 2013 letting. Preliminary Roadway Plans: Due by December 1, 2012. Right of Way Plans: Due by October 1, 2012. Design will need to
	minimize the impact to the property on the each side of the proposed bridge. Interviews anticipated: - Due to the short timeframe it is anticipated that selection will be made within two weeks. If necessary, the interviews will take place as quickly as one week from qualification submittal. Goal is to have the project under contract with a consultant quickly. Timeline: Project must be ready for letting June 2013. Consultant's ability to meet or exceed this deadline will be scored higher. Inventive Design Considerations: Any inventive design considerations that will decrease right of way acquisition, speed up construction, or especially result in an overall cost savings will be looked upon favorably and will result in a higher score. Other: Selected consultant will be responsible for all survey, geotechnical, and any bridge memos, sounding request, etc. An appraiser and negotiator will be selected by the city, if consultant has qualified staff on board; they may submit this in RFQ also.

Jasper County	
Job No:	TDG-3200(718)
Location:	15 th Street and KCS railroad
Proposed Improvement:	Construct overpass over KCS railroad
Length:	900-1500 feet
Approximate Construction Cost:	\$8,000,000
DBE Goal	12%
Letting Date:	June 2013
Consultant Services Required	Bridge: The engineering responsibilities may include but are not limited to the preparation of Preliminary and Contract plans. As part of preparing the plans the consultant may need to perform surveying, geotechnical investigations, hydraulic studies and provide environmental and historic preservation services/permits including the preparation of PS&E and final documents. Roadway: The engineering responsibilities may include but are not limited to the preparation of Conceptual plans, Preliminary plans, Contract plans. Design services may include, right of way plans,
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